

## Message Text

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ACTION SY-05

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R 182120Z DEC 75

FM AMEMBASSY OTTAWA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8344

INFO AMCONSUL MONTREAL

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJ: ASSIGNMENT OF SEABEE AND MSGS TO MONTREAL

1. THE DEPARTMENT HAS NOW GIVEN ITS FORMAL APPROVAL ON RELOCATING THE CONSULATE GENERAL IN MONTREAL TO THE PLACE DESJARDINS OFFICE COMPLEX. RCO RAMBO HAS JUST COMPLETED HIS SURVEY OF THE NEW SITE AND IS RECOMMENDING CONSTRUCTION OF A VAULT FOR C&R. HE PLANS TO UTILIZE LOCAL HELP FOR ITS CONSTRUCTION WHICH WILL REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF A TDY SEABEE TO SUPERVISE THE WORK. SUGGEST OC AND SY COORDINATE THE TIMING FOR STARTING VAULT CONSTRUCTION. THE ESTIMATED OCCUPANCY DATE IS APRIL 1976.

2. IN ORDER TO FORMULATE A SENSIBLE PHYSICAL SECURITY PLAN FOR MONTREAL, A DETERMINATION SHOULD BE MADE SOONEST ON WHETHER OR NOT A PERMANENT MSG DETACHMENT WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE POST. THE EMBASSY AND CG URGES THE ASSIGNMENT OF A DETACHMENT TO ENHANCE THE CONGE'S SECURITY POSTURE AND PERMIT THE INSTALLATION OF MORE SOPHISTICATED SECURITY EQUIPMENT.

3. IN FURTHER REGARD TO THE SEABEE, THIS EMBASSY HAS PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED THE DEPARTMENT FAVORABLY CONSIDER ASSIGNING A NSU TECHNICIAN TO CANADA ON A PERMANENT BASIS. THE CONSULATE'S MOVE ALONE SHOULD JUSTIFY SUCH AN ASSIGNMENT FOR THE PRESENT. ALSO, THE RSO IS SPENDING AN INCREASING AMOUNT OF TIME ATTEMPTING TO

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REPAIR MALFUNCTIONING ALARMS, LOCKS AND SAFES WHICH

COULD BE SERVICED MORE EFFECTIVELY BY A TRAINED TECHNICIAN.

4. A DECISION OF THESE REQUESTS WILL BE APPRECIATED.

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